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GROUP 2613  
**PATENT APPLICATION**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 13, 2005, please consider the remarks as  
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